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Probably there is nothing in agriculture where so much labor has been lost as in building unnecessary fences. Our New England farms are cut up into little patches in a most inconvenient way, and the not only prove obstacles to ready cultivation, but they are nesting places for weeds and vermin.—Lowell Journal.

President Chamberlain of the Iowa agricultural college, in speaking of a bountiful crop of clover harvested from his farm this past season, says he does not see how the same land with the same labor could have been made to yield more good winter feed for dairy or young stock. A heavy crop of ensilage corn would give much more actual feed, but it would also take more labor, and exhaust the land more.—Maine Farmer.

The prize of \$2 cash, offered by S. Cabot, for the largest boy and girl over three and under 18 months was awarded to Ralph Penley of Rumford and to Eva Reed of Byron.

nce on the dam's side of the blood of Diomed, the winner of the first English Derby with a record of 2:31½, he made an authenticated trial of 2:24 at sixteen years of age. Gifted himself with the instinct of the trotting gallop, the legitimate inheritor of speed, endurance and finish, he has evenly and conspicuously perpetuated these qualities. Last year two of his get entered the 2:30 list, making thirteen to his credit. Five of his daughters produced 2:30 performers

Dr. McKenzie tells a good story of the Indians who replied, when a missionary asked them if they were willing to abstain from work on Sundays, "Yes, and only on Sundays, but on all other days as well!"

I don't see how this Neighborhood did get along without me," said the Serf in a lofty tone. "It is my Wisdom that keeps us all in Harmony."

Some weeks later all were Dead, and a Bear was flailing about the spot where they had been.

Observed:

"Poor, Vain Critters! I can't find anyone who ever remembers their Names!"

MORAL:

It's Wonderful (in our minds) what a good some of us are going to Leave Behind.

